

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| APPLICANT:     | ARMIN BERNHARD          | )Art Unit:       |
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| FOR:           | ACOUSTIC SENSOR FOR AN  | ) Conf. No.      |
|                | IMPLANTABLE HEARING AID | ) 3944           |

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Examiner Flory:

In response to the Office Action of September 26, 2006, Applicant respectfully petitions for a three-month extension of time and requests entrance and consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification**, beginning at page 2 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Drawings**, beginning at page 3 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Claims**, beginning at page 4 of this paper; and

**Remarks**, beginning on page 6 of this paper.